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Re: Request for Review
CCDocket No. 02-6
Applicant Name: Wayne Westland Comm Schools
Billed Entity Number: 130927
471 Application Number: 636704
Funding Request Number: 1762239
Decision Letter Date: May 13, 2008
Date Appeal Postmarked: July 17, 2008

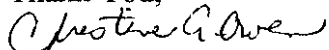
On behalf of Wayne Westland Community Schools I am filing an appeal. On May 13 as soon as I got the initial denial I called the person who I had been dealing with at the USAC, she referred me to the appeal process. I filed an appeal to USAC by email on July 1, 2008, well before the July 13 deadline. When I did not get an immediate response I re-sent the email. I did this several different times over the next week using the email address on the USAC website. Finally, on July 17, 2008 I sent the same information by fax and registered letter. In all cases I used the addresses and fax numbers supplied by the USAC. Apparently only the registered mail reached the correct destination.

The reason the FRN was denied was a misunderstanding between myself and the USAC reviewer. I meant to cancel FRN 1725525 not FRN 176229. Both FRNs were for the same service, so it was very confusing. This funding request is for the district's basic phone service so it is crucial that it be approved for the 2008-09 funding year.

Enclosed is a copy of my original appeal to the USAC as well as a screen print of the Properties of the document showing the creation date, July 1.

Please reconsider the decision to deny funding to Wayne Westland Schools.

Thank You,



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This letter is an appeal on behalf of:
Wayne Westland Schools
BEN: 130927
Form 471 Application Number: 636704
Service Provider: McLeod
SPIN: 143000074
Funding Commitment Decision Letter for Funding Year 2008
Funding Commitment Decision :\$0.00- Applicant request
FRN (1762239) cancelled in consultation with the applicant

Please reinstate this FRN: 1762239. I meant to cancel an earlier FRN; 1735525, not FRN 1762239.

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